

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS:	Grønborg et al.	CONF. NO:	5685
SERIAL NUMBER:	10/594,192	EXAMINER:	Hayes, Robert Clinton
371 DATE:	September 25, 2006	ART UNIT:	1649
FOR:	THERAPEUTIC USE OF A GROWTH FACTOR, NsG33		

MAIL STOP Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants respectfully petition for a three-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for responding to the non-final Office Action mailed in the above-captioned Application on June 24, 2009, thereby extending the period for reply up to and including December 24, 2009. Applicants submit herewith a requisite three-month extension of time fee for a small-entity in the amount of \$555.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3).

Applicants believe no additional fees are due with the filing of this Response. However, if any additional fees are required or if any funds are due, the USPTO is authorized to charge or credit Deposit Account Number: **50-0311**, Customer Number: **30623**, Reference Number: **19313-015 NATL**.

Respectfully submitted,

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